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REMARKS

A substitute specification in compliance with 37 C.F.R. 1.125 is attached to incorporate the International Application No. PCT/EP2004/012949 and the European Application No. 03027066.4. The attached substitute specification contains no new matter.

The claims have been amended to delete multiple dependency and place them in better form for examination. The abstract has been amended to remove the title and publication figure reference.

Accordingly, it is believed that the application is in good condition for examination.

Questions are welcomed by the below-signed attorney for Applicants.

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